

# Carpathia to Reach New York at Midnight

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# 250 DEAD ON CARPATHIA

## DARDANELLES FORTS REPULSE ITALIAN WARSHIPS

### ENEMY'S FLEET OPENS FIRE ON TURKISH GUNS

One Warship Is Said to Have  
Been Sunk; 24 Vessels Engaged  
in Bombardment

WASHINGTON, April 18.—An official dispatch to the Turkish embassy here today says four large Italian warships and several torpedo boat destroyers attacked the Turkish forts at the entrance to the Dardanelles. The forts returned the fire and one of the large battleships received severe injuries, causing her to leave the fighting line. After three and a half hours' fighting the Italian vessels were repulsed. Another fleet of Italian vessels bombarded the barracks and ammunition depots on Samos Island.

#### LONDON HEARS OF BOMBARDMENT.

LONDON, April 18.—The bombardment of the Dardanelles began today, according to a special dispatch received here from Constantinople. One of the Italian warships was damaged by a shot from the land batteries.

#### ITALIAN WARSHIP SUNK.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 18.—The Italian fleet is reported to have appeared at the entrance to the Dardanelles. One Italian warship is said to have been sunk.

It has been rumored for weeks that Italy contemplated a renewal of naval action in Turkish waters. In consequence the Turkish authorities reinforced the garrisons near the Dardanelles and notified foreign powers that the Dardanelles had been mined. It became necessary for vessels passing through to employ local pilots.

#### ITALIAN FLEET OPENS FIRE.

LONDON, April 18.—Cannon firing was heard at the entrance to the Dardanelles at noon today, according to a dispatch received here from Lloyds' signal station in the Dardanelles. The Italian fleet has begun an attack on the forts of the straits but no details have come to hand.

#### 24 WARSHIPS ON WAY TO TURKEY.

ATHENS, Greece, April 18.—Two divisions of Italian war vessels, each comprising a dozen ships, passed Skye Island in the Aegean sea yesterday, sailing to the north.

### Alleged Slayer of Woman Hanged by Montana Mob

TORRINGTON, Mont., April 18.—Harry Heffner, alleged slayer of Mrs. William Merrill of Joplin, near the town of Rosebud, Mont., twelve miles east of here, was taken from the county jail this morning by a crowd of sixty or seventy-five masked and heavily armed men, and despite the efforts of Sheriff Nell G. McMullen and Deputy Sheriff Jay Fleming, was hanged to a tree on a vacant lot adjoining the Masonic Temple.

### Widow Writes Message to Others Who Are in Sorrow

LONDON, April 18.—The widow of Captain Smith, the commander of the Titanic, has written a pathetic message which was posted today outside the White Star offices. It reads as follows: "To my poor fellow-sufferers: My heart overflows with grief for you all and is laden with sorrow that you are weighted down with this terrible burden that has been thrust upon us. May God be with us and comfort us all. Yours in deep sympathy, ELEANOR SMITH."

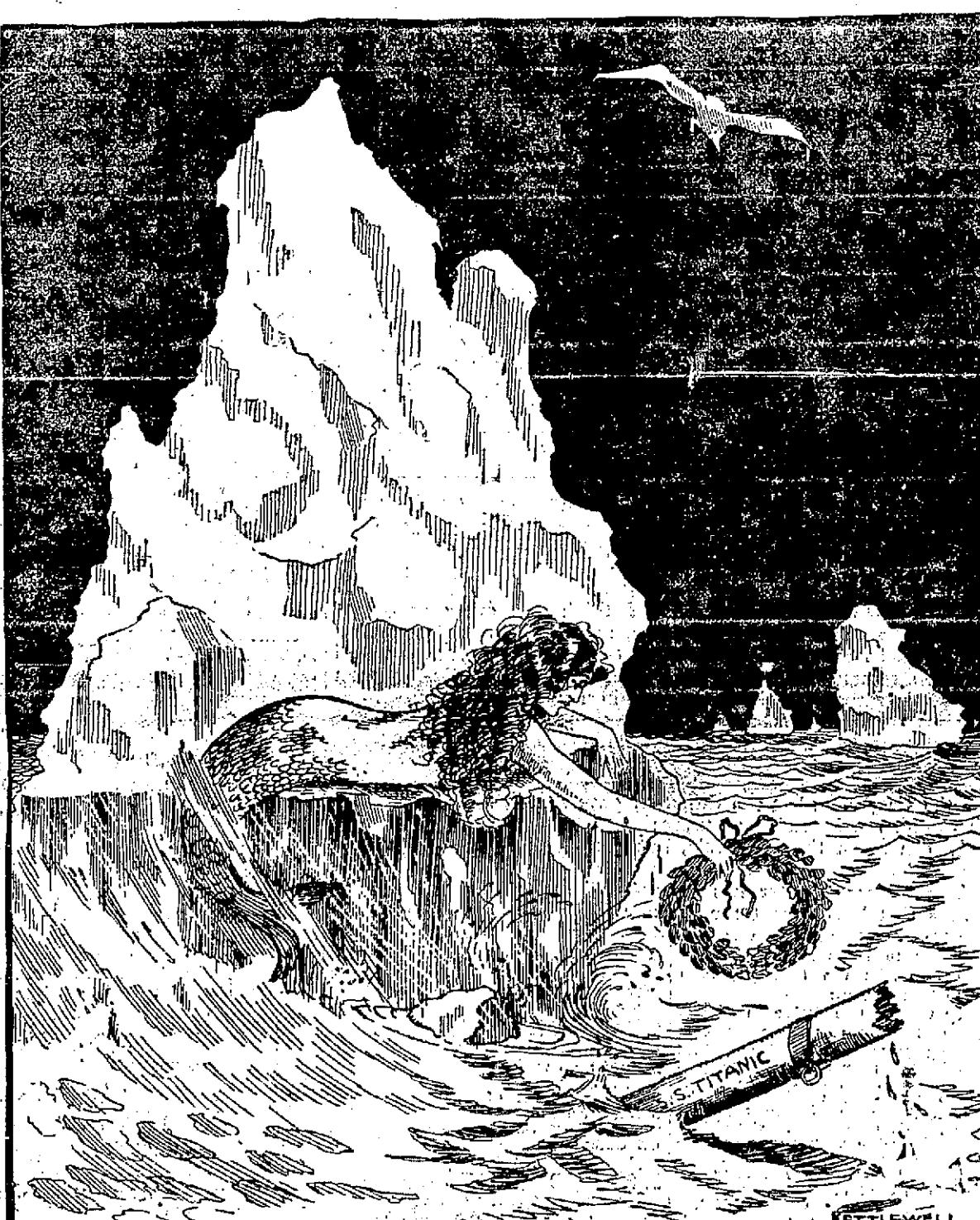
### Railroad Managers Decline To Accede to Demands

NEW YORK, April 18.—The committee of general managers of Eastern railroads, after a further consideration today of the renewed demands by the engineers of the fifty-one railroads in the Eastern territory for a wage increase, sent a communication to Grand Chief Stone of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers that it was "not possible to accede to your wage request and those demands by the engineers of the fifty-one railroads in the Eastern territory for a wage increase."

### 107 Miners Killed in Fight With Soldiers of Russia

IRKUTSK, Siberia, April 18.—One hundred and seven gold miners were killed and eighty more wounded in a fight with Russian soldiers at the Lena Gold Mining Company's workings in this vicinity. Details of the fighting and of the cause of the trouble have not yet been ascertained.

"WOMEN AND CHILDREN FIRST"



#### Thinks Missing Boy Is on Fishing Boat

Oakland Woman Reaches Vessel  
Too Late to Intercept  
Youth.

### FEARS FELT FOR SAFETY OF THOMAS C. WARREN

Prominent Oakland Clubman Goes for  
Sail and Fails to Return

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—Mrs. P. Travaroz, 1515 Fifth street, Oakland, hurried into the police station last night and complained that her son, Joseph, aged 15, had disappeared from home and she believed he was on the schooner Olympic. Patrolman Webb accompanied Mrs. Travaroz in the police patrol boat, but it was found that the Olympic had already passed to set en route to the Alaskan fisheries.

Mrs. Travaroz was heartbroken, but she had not sailed on the vessel. He is of average height, has black hair and brown eyes, and when he left home wore overalls.

Trainmen Announce  
Reason for Walk-Out

Mexican Central Men Say They  
Wished to Avoid Being  
Forced Out.

LAREDO, Texas, April 18.—A statement addressed to the American people, giving the grievances of the Mexican conductors and engineers who struck yesterday on the Mexican railroad lines, declared the Americans preferred to walk out rather than to be forced out by a policy of "Mexico for Mexicans."

Thomas C. Warren, attorney, yachtsman and prominent member of the Nile Club, is missing and the circumstances surrounding his disappearance are such as to cause the gravest anxiety to his family and friends.

Warren left his home near the Claremont Country Club yesterday morning for a day's outing at Gray Goose, near Drawbridge, where he has a "shack" and a sailboat. At mid-night he had not returned and his wife, sensing a mishap, telephoned her fears to her brother, C. L. Huggins of Berkeley. He in turn communicated at once with the hotel at Drawbridge and learned that Warren's shack had not been occupied during the night. The attorney's clothes, money and personal belongings were as he had left them when, at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, he donned an old suit and set sail for a swim down the slough.

ACCIDENT FEARED.

There is just the chance, of course, that the attorney met with some accident which disabled the boat and that he experienced nothing worse than an all-night vigil on a mudbank. This theory, however, is discredited by Huggins, who points out that it was high tide yesterday afternoon and that Warren is too expert a boatman to suffer the misfortunes of the amateur. He fears the worst and this morning boarded a train for the scene, accompanied by City Attorney Ben Woolner and George Leckie, wiring ahead for a launch and help with which to prosecute a search for the missing man and the little yacht.

"Warren is always so considerate of his wife," said Huggins today, "that I know he would risk his life to send her word if he found that he could not reach home when he expected him."

MEMBER OF LAW FIRM.

The missing man is a member of the law firm of Gibson & Woolner. He is in the prime of life and has a wife. The Warrens are members of the social set of the Claremont district.

All day telephone lines to Drawbridge were kept busy with anxious inquiries from scores of friends.

### Trunks Containing \$25,000 In Jewelry Are Stolen

ATLANTA, Ga., April 18.—Two trunks, said to have contained jewelry valued at \$25,000, and the property of S. I. H. Gilsey of Cincinnati, were stolen from a dray standing in front of an office building here early today. When the driver of the dray was in a nearby building the thieves, believed to be negroes, mounted his seat and drove away. Later the police discovered the dray and five trunks several blocks distant, but Gilsey's trunks were missing.

### COFFINS ORDERED TO BE SENT TO STEAMER'S DOCK

White Star Line Official, Who Is  
'Stunned Beyond Expression,'  
Sends Wireless Asking That  
Cedric Be Held for His Flight

#### STEAMSHIP IS TO REACH PORT TONIGHT

NEW YORK, April 18.—Frank D. Campbell of the Campbell Burial Company announces that the officials of the Cunard line have requested that they have 250 coffins in readiness on the arrival of the Carpathia tonight. He said the officials had told him that there were dead on board, but were unable to give the exact number.

NEW YORK, April 18.—An effort was made today by J. Bruce Ismay, one of the owners of the White Star line and a survivor of the Titanic disaster, to detail the sailing of the White Star liner Cedric until tomorrow in order, it is understood, that Ismay might flee on it to Europe.

Vice-President Franklin refused to hold the Cedric and that vessel sailed at noon.

A wireless was received today by the White Star company from the Carpathia asking that the sailing of the Cedric be put off for a day. It is understood that the message was signed by Ismay, who is on the Carpathia, and that he desired to take passage on it rather than face congressional or other inquiry. The rumors spread rapidly that the Cedric would stop the Carpathia at sea and take Ismay off. This, however, was denied by C. W. Thomas, assistant manager of the traffic department of the White Star line, who said no arrangements had been made to transfer Ismay from the Carpathia to the Cedric at sea and that as far as he knew Ismay would remain aboard the Carpathia.

An effort will be made by Congress to prevent Ismay's flight from this country, as he is wanted as a witness before the Senate investigating committee. If this government has not the power to hold Ismay, who is a British subject, pressure will be brought to bear on the White Star line company to compel him to appear before the committee.

Vice-President Franklin said today:

"We are not getting a thing by wireless from the Carpathia. There is not the slightest explanation of the Titanic's sinking or anything pertaining to the disaster in the wireless messages we have received."

"Have you heard from Mr. Ismay?"

"Yes," replied Franklin. "Mr. Ismay is stunned beyond expression."

Franklin declined to make public the messages.

### GOVERNMENT DECIDES TO TAKE VIGOROUS ACTION

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Secretary MacVeagh ordered today that the revenue cutter Calumet or Hudson take the Senate committee out to the Carpathia tonight. The Carpathia will be stopped by the customs officers and the committee sent aboard before the vessel reaches port. She will then be within the American customs jurisdiction and the authority to stop her is lodged in the Secretary of the Treasury.

### WOMEN NOT TOLD THAT THEIR HUSBANDS HAVE PERISHED

NEW YORK, April 18.—The Cunard liner Carpathia, bearing the survivors of the sunken ship Titanic, was making her way slowly toward New York today groping through the fog, her wireless silent as that of the stricken vessel, a small part of whose human cargo she carries. According to best reckoning she will reach Sandy Hook at 9 p. m. and will dock at about 11 p. m.

Wireless messages bombarded the Carpathia all last night and today, but with little results. Even a message from President

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# TAFT'S MESSAGES TO CARPATHIA ARE IGNORED

**MRS. STRAUSS PERISHED WITH HER HUSBAND**  
Carpathia Refuses to Answer Queries Sent by U. S. Government

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Taft, asking for news of his aid, Major Butt, remained unanswered and the indications are no details of the disaster will be known until the Carpathia reaches port.

Judging from the nature of the few messages from the survivors the inference is that most of them are unaware of the awful tragedy that took place aboard the Titanic after she was abandoned. Thus many wives are ignorant that their husbands have perished and are hoping that they were picked up by passing liners.

In New York all preparations have been made to receive the survivors when they land. Food, clothing, ambulances and other necessities and luxuries have been provided; that police protection will be ample and every measure will be taken to protect the unfortunate. For the women of the steerage a committee of leading New York women has been formed to house and take care of them until relatives abroad can be notified of their plight.

## WHO IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS DISCOURTEOUS TREATMENT?

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Officials of the Navy Department are suspending judgment on the conduct of officers of the Carpathia who have treated with scant courtesy requests for information transmitted through the scout cruisers Salem and Chester by government officials, including the President of the United States.

Whether responsibility rests with the captain of the Cunarder or President Ismay of the White Star line, who is reported as a survivor of the Titanic aboard the Carpathia, is a matter of conjecture.

Naval officials indignantly reject the insinuation by the Cunard people that the naval wireless operators are incapable of handling messages with due celerity.

## CARPATHIA REFUSES TO GIVE DETAILS REGARDING DISASTER

NEW YORK, April 18.—The Cunarder Carpathia, with 868 of the survivors of the sunken Titanic, will dock at 1 o'clock Friday morning, according to General Henry, surveyor of the port of New York. The rescue ship was off Nantucket lighthouse, 196 miles away, at 5:55 o'clock this morning.

The wireless report that there are only 705 survivors of the Titanic aboard the Carpathia still persists, but no word, so far as can be learned, has come from the Carpathia within the last twenty-four hours giving the exact number of shipwrecked persons aboard. From figures available at the White Star line offices it is probable that the number of those that perished totals 1312 souls.

The Carpathia is said to be in good working wireless zone, for numbers of private messages from survivors and dispatches to the White Star line offices were constantly being received during the morning, but no word came to the repeated requests for details of the accident.

The Sagaponack, Long Island, wireless station, reports that the Carpathia's wireless operator is "all in." The Sagaponack station says efforts will be made to put two fresh wireless operators on board as a tug.

The cruisers Chester and Salem and the government wireless stations on shore stopped sending so that the Carpathia might have an uninterrupted field for sending news.

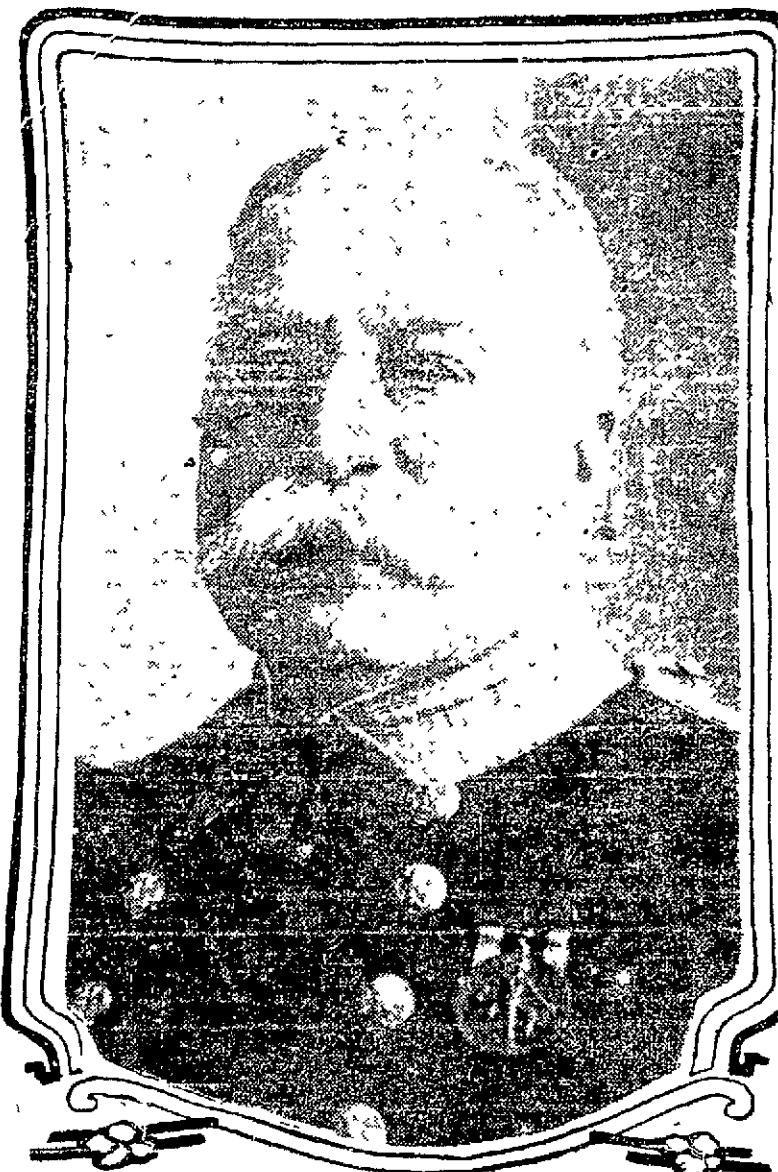
The Carpathia has sent ashore the names of 125 third class passengers and has requested the White Star line to send a ship's officer and fourteen sailors on two tugs to take charge of thirteen Titanic life boats at quarantine. This would indicate that only thirteen life boats had been found available for rescue work instead of twenty life boats as had been approximated.

All hope has been given up that Colonel John Jacob Astor, Isidor Straus, Benjamin Guggenheim, George D. Widener, Major Archibald Butt military aid to President Taft, Henry B. Harris the theatrical manager, and Charles M. Hays president of the Grand Trunk railway have been saved.

A representative of R. H. Macy & Co. said an official of the firm had received by wireless confirmation that Isidor Straus and his wife were not among the survivors on the Carpathia.

The Carpathia's wireless operator sent word this morning that Colonel Astor was not on the Carpathia and he did not know whether Benjamin Guggenheim or Major Butt was aboard. The scout cruiser Salem requested information regarding Major Butt

## 'HUMAN LIFE NOT CONSIDERED' DEWEY SCORES MONEY GRABBERS



ADMIRAL GEORGE DEWEY, who says that the North Atlantic trip is full of danger.

## Admiral Declares the North Atlantic Trip Too Dangerous for Him

WASHINGTON, April 18.—"I think that every passenger who crosses the North Atlantic takes his life in his hands," said Admiral George Dewey today. "For myself I would rather go around the world in a well equipped battleship than make a trip across the North Atlantic in a transatlantic vessel."

"The greed for money-making is so great that it is with the sincerest regret that I observe that human lives are never taken into consideration."

from the Carpathia, but the Cunarder gave no answer. The Salem sent ashore the following message:

"I can reach the Carpathia, but she won't take any business from me."

The cruiser Chester has informed the Navy Department by wireless that having sent the list of third class passengers on the Carpathia via Salem, she was now proceeding to Delaware Bay. The Salem has sent the following message to Washington:

Your telegram relative to Major Butt and others was relayed to Chester promptly, and acknowledged and I later sent a second inquiry to learn at 10 p.m. that the original message was not received by the Chester. Am now trying to get Carpathia direct to inquire. Conditions very unfavorable with many stations interdicting with one another. Salem will proceed Bradford Thursday for coal, thence Boston.

(Signed) CHANDLER. George D. Widener, the Philadelphia capitalist, is not aboard the Carpathia. That information was received by the White Star Line offices early today. No mention was made of his son Harry Elkins Widener, in the wireless dispatches. Many of the wireless messages by survivors to their families show that they hold the hopes that those whom when they were separated were on board another steamer.

"I am praying that my husband has been picked up by another steamer," was a wireless message sent by a survivor to her family. A few of those who still cling to a faint hope that their family or friends might still be numbered among the saved aboard the Carpathia remained all night at the White Star Line offices. The wireless word received late yesterday from the Chester that the first and second class passenger list had been sent ashore was a heavy blow to the many who kept vigil for many hours at the company's offices.

In reply Taft wrote Bryce a letter, which read in part as follows:

"Thank you for this expression by the governor and people of Newfoundland in the great and terrible sorrow which the people of the United States have suffered in this shipwreck."

I have the honor to request that you will accept on behalf of the governor and people of Newfoundland this expression of their profound sympathy with the people of the United States in the great and terrible sorrow that has come upon them in this awful shipwreck."

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Special arrangements have been made to care for the survivors when the Carpathia docks. Customs regulations have been suspended and there will be only a short inspection at quarantine by the health department, as is mandatory under the law. Police reserves will be stationed about the Cunard Line pier and only those who are friends or relatives of the survivors with proper credentials will be permitted on the pier.

Taxicab and hotel accommodations have been provided for first and second cabin passengers who are not able to proceed at once to their homes, while the steerage passengers will be cared for by the immigration department of the Cunard Line at the principal lodging house, which has been placed at their disposal.

A couple or more of wealthy society women have organized a relief committee to aid the steerage survivors of the Titanic and have telegraphed President Taft offering to assist the government in the work of caring for the third class passengers.

## Richmond Woman's Sister Is Rescued

RICHMOND, April 18.—Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Clark of Southampton, England, who were on the liner Titanic, were bound for Richmond, for the purpose of making a visit of several months here to Clark's sister, Mrs. Charles Young of this city. The name of Mrs. Clark appears among the list of second class passengers who were rescued but Clark's name

## BODIES TO REST AT SEA'S BOTTOM

Scientist Declares Victims of Disaster Will Never Rise to Surface.

BALTIMORE, April 18.—The bodies of the victims of the Titanic are at the bottom of the sea, never to leave it, declared Professor Robert W. Wood of the chair of experimental physics of Johns Hopkins University. "It is altogether improbable that any corpses will ever return to the surface, as is the case with bodies dropped in the ocean," said Wood. "At the depth of two miles the pressure of the water is something like 6,000 pounds to the square inch, which is far too great to be overcome by buoyancy ordinarily given to drowned bodies by the air in the lungs."

"That the bodies sank to the bottom of the sea, there is no question. The Titanic's victims who were not carried down with the boat followed until the last moment of the ship's existence and reached the water. There was no such thing as their stopping in their downward course a half mile, a mile or at any other point."

"Great changes necessarily have been wrought in the vessel itself by the enormous pressure which has been exerted."

No effect was produced on any portion, compartment or room to whose inside as well as outside walls the water had access. In such instances the pressure from one side neutralized that from the other.

"But whenever there was an airtight or water-tight compartment the 6,000 pounds to a square inch pressure of water has crumpled those walls as if they were tissue paper."

## LIFE BOATS FOR 1178 PERSONS

Only Half of Those on Titanic Could Have Been Taken From Vessel.

LONDON, April 18.—Sydney Buxton, president of the Board of Trade, said today the Titanic actually carried sixteen boats on her davits, giving accommodation for 990 persons. Other boats carried provided accommodation for another 188, making the total 1178. In addition there were 48 life buoys and 3560 life belts. The actual number of passengers and crew on board the Titanic was 2308.

## Water Around Ice Stood at 30 Degrees

NYORK, April 18.—The Dutch oil tank steamer La Flandre, which came in from Antwerp, reported an encounter with the ice field April 11, at 8 o'clock at night, in latitude 42° 02' and longitude 50° 07'. La Flandre was compelled to put about and steamed twenty miles to the southward to clear the field. The temperature of water near the ice pack was 30 degrees.

If the Titanic sank in water registering below 30 degrees those who may have leaped overboard probably survived but a few minutes.

## CONBOY AWAITING FIFTH VERDICT

Ex-Police Captain Again Faces Jury in Trial for Murder.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—The fate of former Captain of Police Michael J. Conboy is now in the hands of a jury.

For the fifth time the defendant is awaiting a verdict with very much uneasiness. The case was given to the jury about noon and it is expected that considerable time will be taken in deliberating by the twelve men who have listened to a mass of conflicting testimony. Assistant District Attorney Brennan's final statement in arguing to the jury was a denunciation of Conboy and his altered drunken attack upon Bernard Logan, who died from a bullet fired by Conboy after lingering for months between life and death. Superior Judge Sargent of Monterey, who has been presiding over the trial, adjourned the jury briefly just before noon.

Conboy was brought to trial on four former occasions. The first time he was convicted of man slay, but obtained a reversal in the Appellate Court, and three subsequent occasions the jury disagreed.

May Robson Badly Injured by Fall

MEDFORD, Ore., April 18.—Tripping on a step, the head of the dead Conboy, Mrs. May Robson fell headlong to the floor ten feet below last night and sustained injuries which may compel the cancellation of all performances of "A Night Out" for the time being, unless the abandonment of the present stage.

Miss Robson struck on her head and right arm. When attendants reached her she was unconscious. Doctors were called and were found that she had sustained severe injuries on her head and body, broke one finger of her left hand and received a severe nervous shock. It is the latter which, the doctors say, is the most serious.

## APPOINTS COMMISSION TO SELECT SCHOOL SITE

PHOENIX, Ariz., April 18.—Governor Hunt today appointed a commission to select a new site for the State Industrial School, now located in Benson and which in accordance with the intent of the legislature will be removed to a place where the hundred inmates of the institution may engage in farming. The commissioners named today are John J. Hawkins, Prescott; J. J. Vaughan, Duncan, and John D. Dunlap, Phoenix.

## COLONEL PIPPY RESIGNS FROM GOVERNOR'S STAFF

SACRAMENTO, April 18.—Col. W. H. Pippy, a member of the Governor's military staff, a colonel from the staff of Governor G. C. Gwinnett, whose rank was that of Judge advocate of the national guard of California has re-

## TITANIC WAS WARNED OF ICEBERGS IN HER PATH

Liner Mesaba Was Close By, but Failed to Receive 'S. O. S.'

NEW YORK, April 18.—The Atlantic Transport liner Mesaba, in today from England, reported that Sunday night the following message was passed between her and the Titanic when she hit the berg, both bound for New York, the first being from the Mesaba.

M. G. Y.—Latitude 42 to 43° 30' west; much heavy pack ice and a great number of bergs. We are clear.

CLARKE, Captain of the Mesaba.

Sunday morning at 6 o'clock the Mesaba ran into what Captain Clarke says was the largest field of ice he had ever encountered. The Mesaba ran 120 miles out of her course to avoid it.

## THIRD-CLASS PASSENGERS AND CREW AMONG RESCUED

PORTLAND, Me., April 18.—A list of third class passengers and members of the crew rescued from the wrecked steamship Titanic by the Carpathia was received by wireless last night. The list follows:

Helena Angusen.  
Della Diamond.  
Agnes Doty (or Mrs. A. A. Dick).  
Leonard Eldege.  
Hannah Eldege.  
Kirkorean Kivora.  
Alug Ludug.  
Kristof Madson.  
Heuna Mannan.  
Bertha Maran.  
Markari.  
Karl Mathjox.  
Aune Messemecke.  
Bunus Moudarck.  
Javins Munro.  
Hajman Moudarck.  
Katie Mullin.  
Kirkorean Munan.  
Mitsi Mousum.  
Citoza Moudarck.  
G. D. Messemecke.  
Kate McCarthy.  
Maglio Merigian.  
Berlin Maledell.  
John McLaren.  
Deliah McDermott.  
Mary McGovern.  
Thomas McCormack.  
Alice McKey.  
Aude McGowan.  
Ernest McKey.  
Albert Moss.  
Nora Murphy.  
Maggie Murphy.  
Margareta Nanga.  
Dorothy K. Nelson.  
Mrs. Neet.  
Bertha Nelson.  
John Nicholson.  
Troy Nyberg.  
Sanous Subulaskat.  
Maderia Yuset.  
Ederice Sunde.  
Haline Boklin.  
Lafete Boklin.  
Filly Aksaks.  
Nassif Casem.  
Boyan Casem.  
Emily Batman.  
Daniel Bokstrom.  
Daniel Dickey.  
Erling Hjel.  
Elmer Carlson.  
Bessie Sande.  
Gus Cohn.  
L. M. Cribb.  
Minnie Conto.  
Neville Conto.  
Will Conto.  
Katie Connally.  
Ellen Carr.  
Theodore Demedur.  
Joseph Krigesne.  
P. D. Daly.  
Charles Daly.  
Marcella Daly.  
Mrs. Ester Dean and two children.  
Margaret Devaney.

## Congress Requested to Change the Law

UTICA, N. Y., April 18.—The mayors of all the cities in this state today authorized that their signatures be affixed to a telegram to be forwarded to Congress by the secretary of their association asking that the United States pass a law requiring every passenger vessel leaving a port in this country to be equipped with lifeboats or rafts sufficient to receive and float all human creatures on board the vessel.

## 2208 PERSONS SAID TO HAVE BEEN ON BOARD THE TITANIC

LONDON, April 18.—The actual number of passengers and crew on board the Titanic at the time of the disaster was 2208, according to Sydney Buxton, president of the Board of Trade, in reply to a question in the House of Commons this afternoon.

## Man-Drawn Plow Breaks Ground for Y.M.C.A. Home

SAN JOSE, April 18.—A thousand young men hitched to a great rope building to be erected at Third and Santa Clara streets. Addressed by Mayor Davison and by other local officials and officers of the association followed the unique ceremony.

## Committee Votes Against Battleships and Cruisers

WASHINGTON, April 18.—The naval committee of the House today voted against battleships and cruisers as part of this year's addition to the American fleet. The following program was agreed to by the committee: Two fuel ships, \$630,000 each; four submarines, \$300,000 each; six torpedo-boat destroyers, \$558,000 each; and a tender for the destroyers.

TO GIVE BANQUET. The Casagill Club will give a banquet at the Key Route Inn on the evening of May 4th.

## Strong Healthy Women

If a woman is strong and healthy in a womanly way, motherhood means to her but little suffering. The trouble lies in the fact that many women suffer from weakness and disease of the distinctly feminine organism and are unfit for motherhood. This can be remedied.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription

Cures the weaknesses and disorders of women. It acts directly on the delicate and important organs concerned in motherhood, making them healthy, strong, vigorous, virile and elastic.

"Favorite Prescription" banishes the indispositions of the period of expectancy and makes baby's advent easy and almost painless. It quickens and vitalizes the feminine organs, and insures a healthy and robust baby. Thousands of women have testified to its marvelous merits.

It Makes Weak Women Strong. It Makes Sick Women Well. Honest druggists do not offer substitutes, and urge them upon you as "just as good." Accept no secret nostrum in place of this non-secret remedy. It contains not a drop of alcohol and not a grain of habit-forming or injurious drugs.

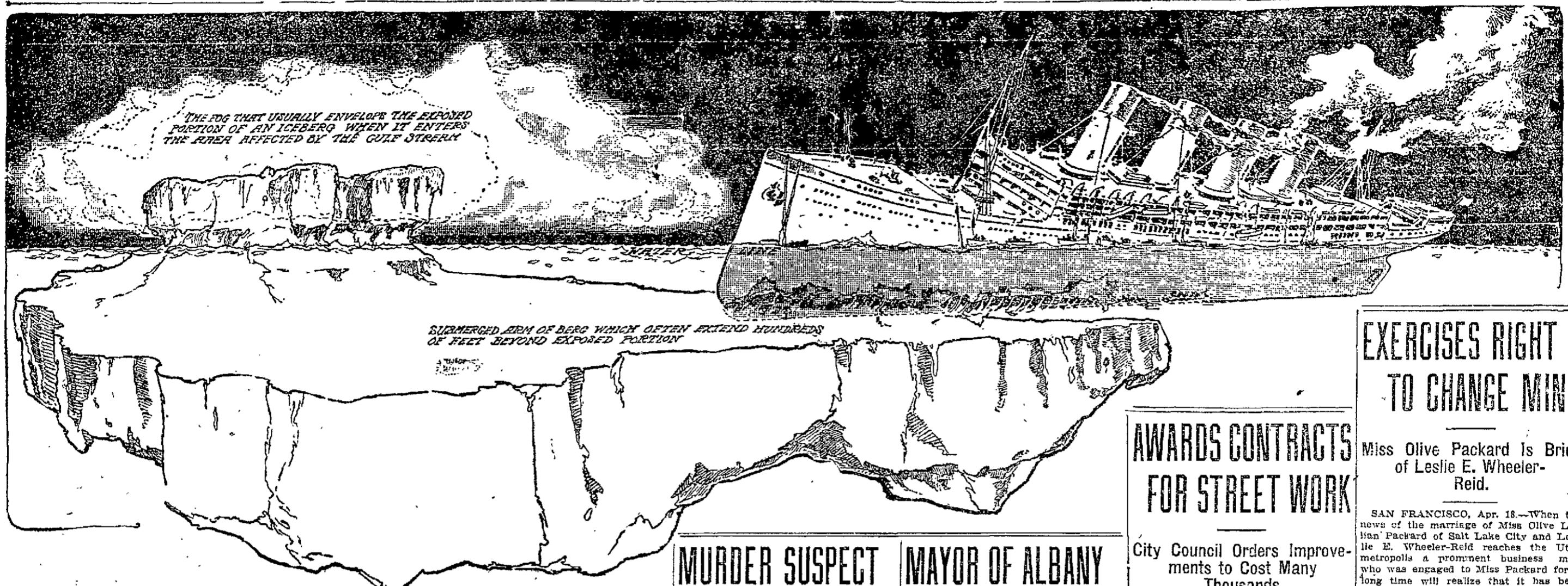


LA SINCERIDAD  
All Havana Cigars



# OAKLAND MAN MAY HAVE PERISHED ON TITANIC

THIS DIAGRAM IS AN ILLUSTRATION OF ONE OF THE THEORIES OF HOW THE TITANIC STRUCK THE ICEBERG THAT SENT THE GIANT SHIP TO THE SEA'S DEPTHS



## OAKLAND MAN MAY HAVE PERISHED ON THE TITANIC

### Fear Is Expressed for W. D. Spencer, Who Was in Turin, Italy

Anxiety is felt here over the safety of W. D. Spencer of this city, who may have been a passenger on the ill-fated Titanic. Spencer is in charge of the exhibits of Alameda county products displayed at the Turin, Italy, International Exposition under the auspices of the California Development board, and was to have sailed for home on or about the date of sailing of the Titanic. No word has been heard from him by W. D.

Nichols, processor of the Alameda County General Exposition Commission which prepared the exhibit in charge of Spencer, and Nichols fears Spencer may have remained on the White Star liner.

Spencer, who is unmarried, has been a resident of Oakland for a number of years. He has no Oakland address at present, having been abroad for some time, but has a brother living in Elmhurst.

## WORK ON CITY'S BUILDINGS MAY BE HALTED TODAY

### Writs of Injunction Prepared and Will Be Served at Once

Late this afternoon writs of injunction against the city commissioners, members of the school board and all other municipal officials connected with the architectural and construction work on the new schools and municipal auditorium will be issued, calling a halt on all work on the buildings. The writs will be served this afternoon in the offices of Snoot and Church, attorneys, and will be served at once. Action is being taken at the request of members of the local architects' association.

The injunctions follow the appearance of James H. Pedgrift, of the association and other representatives before the commissioners yesterday, when the latter refused to hold up the appointment of architects for work on the buildings made by Snoot and Church.

Pedgrift then declared the work would be enjoined.

**COMMUNICATION PREPARED.** The following communication on the controversy has been prepared and signed by James H. Pedgrift, chairman of the Home Industry committee, and members of that committee, which includes representatives of a score or more local architectural and material men's organizations:

Oakland, Calif., April 18, 1912.

"At a meeting of the Oakland city council yesterday morning the protest against the present method of handling the construction of public buildings was issued, calling a halt on all work on the buildings. The matter was referred to the city attorney for an opinion and Pedgrift, president of the General Contractors association, of a written opinion by Attorneys Snoot and Church, declaring the ordinance creating a position and authority to be a violation of the city charter. The matter was referred to the city attorney for an opinion and Pedgrift asked that all work on the plans of public buildings be held up pending a final decision. Upon the refusal of the city attorney to grant his request, Pedgrift has voted that an injunction would be filed to stop all work until the legality of the ordinance was established.

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"Dear Sir: The Master Plasterers Association of Alameda County desires to express to your committee their hearty approval and support of the contentions you have made before the City Council in regard to the creation of an architect recently created by the City Council and filed by Mr. J. J. Donovan.

"We believe it to be the best interest of the tax payers of our city that this ordinance be immediately repealed and a new ordinance be passed creating an architectural commission to have charge of the preparation of plans and supervision of the work for all public buildings for the city of Oakland and that all members of this Commission shall be Oakland architects, residing in their local offices in this city, and that as far as practicable all work shall be performed by Oakland contractors, labor and material.

"It is understood that the injunction will be secured today and all work will be held up indefinitely pending a decision on the legality of the ordinance.

**FIGHT COMES TO ISSUE.**

The fight comes to issue in an issue today was occasioned by the actions of J. J. Donovan, who was appointed to the recently created office of Supervisor of Public Works. Donovan, a New York man sent out here by Nease, Palmer & Hornbostel, the architects for Oakland's new city hall, to supervise the construction of that building, assured the Oakland architects, prior to his appointment, that the architect would not share the work, but his first order of appointments made March 29, 1912, contained the names of several San Francisco architects who received about \$500,000 worth of work, as against \$600,000 for Oakland men. The two plans, the \$500,000 architecture, have not been awarded, but Donovan has expressed his intention of making the plans for the former in his own office and has refused to commit himself in regard to the latter. The Oakland architects, however, have a right to their share and the manufacturers, material dealers and contractors of Oakland feel that their chances of future

prosperity at the hands of Donovan are small. They have therefore joined the architects in their fight for the repeal of the ordinance and the dismissal of Donovan.

It is pointed out that it is a most unwise thing for a New York architect, with very limited experience to come to Oakland and to be given charge of a few months' work under a position of trust whereby he will receive about \$125,000 during the next two years, a large part of which will be clear profit. To make matters worse, the ordinance is so worded that the architect will be paid upon the completion of the preliminary studies, for the work on the buildings will be two-fifths of the entire fee instead of one-fifth as prescribed by the schedule of the American Institute of Architects.

This means that he will receive about \$25,000 for the preliminary drawings completed, a like sum when working drawings are finished and there will be only about \$27,000 left due him when actual construction work on the buildings is begun.

A subcommittee has been formed composed of the presidents of the Oakland Architectural Association, the Manufacturers Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, Progress and Prosperity Committee of the Chamber of Commerce and seventeen Contractors and Manufacturers' associations. The committee has elected Mr. J. H. Pedgrift as its chairman and proposed to carry on the fight for home industry to the last ditch. No stone will be left unturned to attain the desired result.

(Signed) JAMES H. PEDGRIFT, Chairman for Home Industry Committee.

**LETTER FROM PLASTERER.**

The same committee has also received the following letter from the Master Plasterers' Association by T. D. Sexton, pledging the support of that body to the contentions of the committee.

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Yours truly, (Signed) T. D. Sexton, for the Master Plasterers' Association.

The Manufacturers' committee of the Chamber of Commerce at its meeting to-day will also hear the contentions of the committee and is expected to take some further action in the matter. The committee, the ordinance later taking up the fight against the alleged discrimination.

**MISS BESSIE WOOD TO ADDRESS MOTHERS**

Miss Bessie Wood, president of the Child Welfare League, will speak before the Mothers' Club of the First Baptist church Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock, on the topic "The League and Its Object."

Mr. James C. Lehman, Oakland, often called the "Cox Box Mayor," writes of the benefit he derived from Foley Kilney Pills and says: "I have taken Foley Kilney Pills and they have given me a great deal of relief, so I highly recommend them." Lehman's drug store, corner Tenth and Washington streets.

## POET REBUKES BRUCE ISMAY

CHICAGO, April 18. — The Record-Herald prints the following:

MASTER AND MAN.

(By B. Hecht)

News item.—Bruce Ismay's name appears among those of the "women and children saved." Mr. Ismay is one of the owners of the White Star line.

The captain stood where a captain should.

For the law of the sea is grim: The owner romped ere his ship was swamped.

And no law bothered him.

The captain stood where the captain should.

When a captain's boat goes down;

But the owner led when the women fled.

For an owner must not drown.

The captain sank as a man of rank,

While his owner turned away;

The captain's grave was his bridge, and brave

He earned his seaman's pay.

To hold your place in the ghastly face

Of death on the sea at night

Is a seaman's job, but to flee with the mob

Is an owner's noble right.

## MEXICO DELIVERS SLAP AT U. S.

## MONEY BACK OF CAMPAIGN, CHARGE

WASHINGTON, April 18.—Mexico has replied so the warning note of Acting Secretary Huntington Wilson, declining to assume responsibility for Orozco's acts, denying the right of the Washington government to deliver the admittance contained therein, asking exception to the communication directed to Orozco through Consul Letcher, and deplored the making public of this same note to which the government was required to make an answer.

It is pointed out that it is a most unwise thing for a New York architect, with very limited experience to come to Oakland and to be given charge of a few months' work under a position of trust whereby he will receive about \$125,000 during the next two years, a large part of which will be clear profit.

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## SECOND GEARY ST. BIDS ARE OPENED

P. H. Mahoney, the Lowest,  
Yet \$28,670 Higher Than  
Contractors Dodged.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—The second series of bids for the construction of the Geary street road from Fifth avenue to Kearny street were opened by the board of works yesterday, the lowest bid being P. H. Mahoney, at \$253,335. This is \$28,670 higher than the one bid by B. E. Boland & Ayer, which was opened March 27, and which those contractors made frantic efforts to withdraw on the ground that the specifications were illegal.

The board of works still holds the certificates of \$25,000 which Bates, Boland & Ayer put up at that time, but cannot cash it because of a court injunction.

If the city succeeds in declaring the check forfeited, it will still have money as compared to the price at which the work would have been done had Bates, Boland & Ayer lived up to their bid.

Assuming the city gets the check, its face over the former will be \$357,000.

Mayor Ralph, in a present yesterday when the bids were opened, Bates, Boland & Ayer did not submit a proposal, but eight contractors who bid a total presented new bids. While there is no record of the original bids, the new ones will be awarded. Mayor Ralph urged upon the board of works that all possible speed be used. It is probable that Mahoney will receive the contract within a couple of days.

The bids opened yesterday and those submitted March 27 were as follows:

Mar. 27 April 17.  
 P. H. Mahoney ... \$253,335 \$253,665  
 B. E. Boland & Ayer Co. ... 253,335 253,335  
 Healy-Tibbitts Co. ... 237,250 238,550  
 City Street Imp. Co. ... 307,236 285,707  
 Contra Costa Con Co ... 221,540 235,640  
 F. Roland ... No bid 255,335  
 State Construction Co. ... 253,330 265,330  
 Willett & Burr ... 333,920 312,700

## MUSIC ATTRACTS THRONGS TO IDORA

Creatore Proves More Popular This Year Than Ever Before.

While the band concerts at Idora Park have always proved popular, this season promises to surpass all others in attendance on the music numbers.

Creatore and his splendid band of 50 artists have achieved a distinct place in the hearts of music lovers from the entire bay district. Since the opening concert, Creator has won steadily in popularity, esprit, and the scope, variety and perfection of his musical programs, and his ability as a director, has added additional laurels.

The amphitheatre at both afternoon and evening concerts is the gathering point of those who delight in the best of music. The program for the balance of the week comprises a noteworthy and varied collection of musical selections, that serve to fully demonstrate the supremacy of Creator as a director.

Tonight the band will be dressed as "Populair Night." The music program being made up of numbers that will provoke responsive chords with lovers of popular or semi-classical music. "The Poet and Peasant," "Mikado," "Bohemian Girl" and the "Chocolate Soldier" are included.

Tomorrow night, Friday night, has been dedicated to the great German Wagner. The evening program contains eight selections, including "Tannhauser" overture, and the prelude, Act III, from "Lohengrin" and "Isolde."

The countless novel amusement devices continues to attract crowds of fun lovers and joy riders. Every feature on the ground is proving up to its full possibilities as a gismo-killer.

## JEWEL VALUED AT \$2000 IS STOLEN

Wife of Biscuit Company Manager Is the Victim of Pickpocket.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—A highly prized jeweled bar pin, three and a half inches long, with forty-nine diamonds, and a brilliant star-shaped jewel with a large diamond in the center set about with 48 smaller diamonds. The pin is valued by Mrs. Jacoby because of its association with her. This morning the police, to do everything in their power to find the thief. On the other hand, those who have never realized the methods used by the professional gambler to best the unwary, this picture should prove most interesting as well as a source of knowledge.

The old saying is all life is a gamble, and we have all been more or less victims. Very few of us have ever realized that a small sum of chance was ever carried to the extremes as is shown and exposed in this picture. To any one who is familiar with the tricks of the trade there is a certain lesson to be learned from this film. On the other hand, those who have never realized the methods used by the professional gambler to best the unwary, this picture should prove most interesting as well as a source of knowledge.

**To Them That Hath**  
A SHORT SERMON TO  
FAT FOLKS.

"To them that hath shall be given," is a sentence that applies to fat people very neatly. It is common knowledge that once a human being begins to fatten up, to what they have already is added more than they want until finally a stage is reached where reduction must be made or decided disadvantage results.

Then comes forward the ages-old query, "Reduce—but how?" To the un-informed nothing is left but to go to the doctor, who will tell you—eat less (more to him) and exercise more.

They contemplate a more or less lengthy siege of dieting and exercising. So it may be said safely that once it may be said safely that once a man or woman in the land now under the tutelage of the fatness gods or the minister of fad doubtlessly thinks not for distant day when he or she will have to don the "ashen and sackcloth of reduction."

This is not an enviable prospect, and to it will be added satisfaction that one can announce the emancipation of the fat. Nowadays one may reduce much or little, a pound a day if desired, or hold their fat in check, absolutely stationary, without doing a ray of exercise, merely a sit and sit, doing nothing but harm, causing a solitary wrinkle. All that's required, as hundreds testify is the taking after meals and one or more Marmoleum Tablets, which tablets are sold by the Marmoleum Co., 223, Market Street, Detroit, Mich., or any good druggist, at the uniform price of 25 cents, this sum being accepted for a case of tablets so well and generously filled that even one produces desirable results.

**REVIVED SERGEANT'S FUNERAL**  
SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—Revived Sergeant of Police William D. Hensley, who died on April 16, was buried today with a guard of patrolmen in attendance. He was appointed to the force, February 5, 1869, and was retired April 5, 1890.

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Pathé ..... "Training Fighting Cocks in Cuba"

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Today and Tomorrow  
"KID" CANFIELD  
The Reformed Gambler  
BIG 2 REEL FEATURE  
4--OTHERS--4

## MILLS COLLEGE JUNIORS WILL PRESENT OPERETTA 'PRISCILLA'



MISS MAUDIE ROSS as Priscilla in the operetta of that name, to be given by Mills College students.

The operetta "Priscilla" by Cooidge & Surrette will be presented under the direction of the junior class of Mills College in the college gymnasium Friday evening, April 19.

Genuine merit, both in acting and singing, has been brought out at the rehearsals, and those who have witnessed the performances are confident of the success of the junior production.

"Priscilla" tells the story of a courtship by proxy and the score is made up of clever lines and sparkling music. The costumer art is pretty and effective.

The cast includes: Miles Stansfield (the doughty captain) Elizabeth Wilcox.

William Bradford (the world-tired sailor) Lillian Cooke.

Hatfield Higgins (agent of the Mayflower) Mildred Ritchie.

Squanto (a reformed redman) Ruth Wood.

Priscilla (the pretty Pilgrim) Maude Ross.

Resignation (a spinster) Maud Redmon.

Barbara, Faith and Prudence, three Mayflower buds.

Kilda Gordon, Rachel King, and Katherina Russell-Smith.

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We would build them Better  
But We Can't

## OAKLANDERS TO BE AT KNOX BANQUET

Chamber of Commerce Officials Invited to Attend Annual Affair.

Officials of the Chamber of Commerce have been invited to attend the annual banquet of the California Development Board to be held in San Francisco on Tuesday evening, May 7, at 7 o'clock, at which Secretary of State Philander C. Knox will be the guest of honor. The banquet will be held in the court of the Palace Hotel, and will be attended by upwards of 1000 representatives of commercial and civic bodies about the bay.

A reception to Knox at 5 o'clock will precede the banquet. Among the Oaklanders on the reception committee are H. C. Capwell and George C. Farber.

### A. A. Hall Must Show 'Class' to Secure His License

Driving the 100-H. P. Simplex Zip for the first time in a real fast spurt yesterday at the Oakland motorodrome, Louis Disbrow, one of the star drivers, entered in the Shriners' meet on Saturday and Sunday, made a mile trial in 40 seconds. This time is equivalent to ninety miles an hour. It means a circuit of the track in 20 seconds.

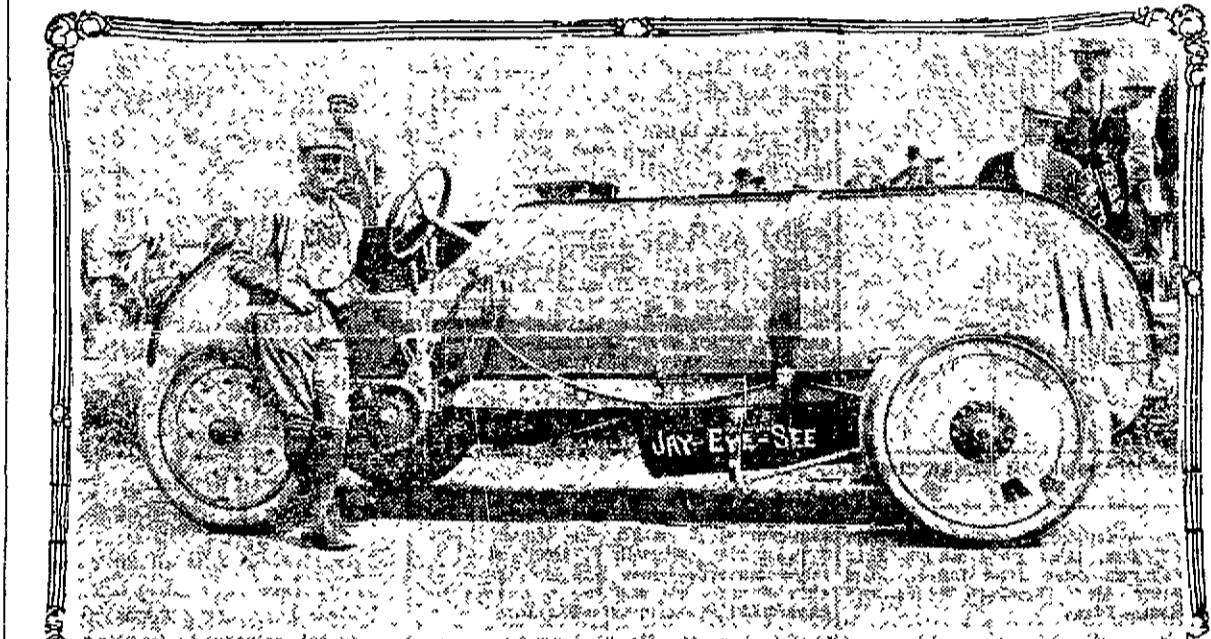
Any doubt relative to sensational speed being the order of both day's events is removed by the trial performances enacted in the last two days by the local and Eastern drivers who are now engaged in tuning their cars up for the coming events.

Every precaution will be taken to fulfil the contest rules of the A. A. A. In the time trial heats that the records made may not be questioned.

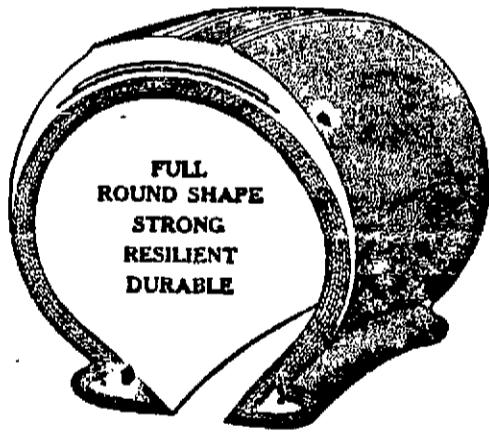
An exciting and thrilling program awaits the multitudes on either day when

the contestants will be racing.

Two of the big cars entered in the Shriners' races this week. The upper photo shows Disbrow at the start of his record-breaking attempt at San Jose last Sunday. Lower photo, a side view of the Big Jay Eye See racing freak, giving an idea as to its size.



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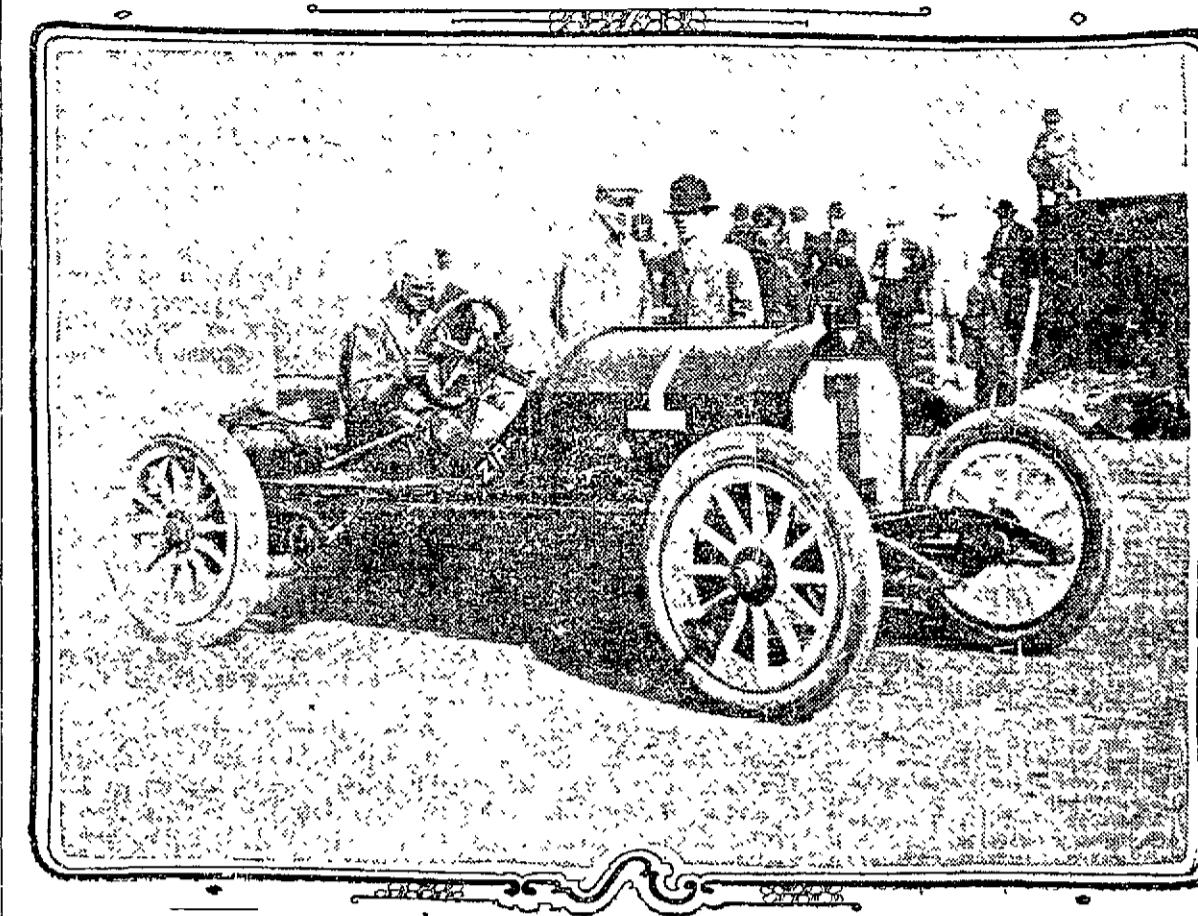
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## LOUIS DISBROW DOES MILE IN 40 SECONDS AT MOTORDROME DRIVERS TRY OUT SAUCER TRACK TO MAKE READY FOR RACES



## THINKS HUSBAND HAS BEEN SLAIN

Colorado Man With a Large Sum of Money Vanishes on Steamer Trip.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—Fearing that her husband, J. H. Smith, of Grand Junction, Colo., has been robbed and perhaps even murdered for the \$4700 which he carried on his person, Mrs. J. H. Smith communicated with the police of this city today. On March 31 Smith left San Bernardino, Cal., for San Francisco, and from the time he boarded the steamer nothing has been heard of him. He carried a suitcase with the name of J. T. Flinhard on the side. Mrs. Smith, who left California for home, resides at 428 Hill avenue, Grand Junction, and had not heard of the large sum of money which he carried, has grave apprehensions regarding his safety. He is 5 feet 7 1/2 inches tall and weighs 146 pounds. Has fair complexion, dark hair, blue eyes, and is slightly lame in the left leg.

### DUPLICATE OF CANAL TO BE EXHIBITED

SANTA CRUZ, April 18.—The water project to be undertaken from July 27 on the San Lorenzo is developing into an historic affair, as it is now proposed to construct across a pageant island a replica of the Panama canal to be acted out in operation. Another plan is to build a ship the exact type of the Clarendon, the first steamship built by Fulton, July 26, being the 147th anniversary of that event. The pageant opens with the termination of the big ocean yacht race from San Francisco to this city, and, in all probability, many warships will be present.



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HIGHWAY MEETS FAVOR.  
KANSAS CITY, April 18.—Govern-  
ment aid in the building of transcon-  
tinental highway roads is favored by  
Governor Hatfield of Missouri. In an  
address to the convention of the Na-  
tional Old Trails Roads Association  
here, "The question of good country  
roads is more important than  
roads of freight rates," said Governor Hat-  
field. "More money is paid by the  
people for transporting goods over the  
roads than is paid for all railroads and  
river transportation. Get on trans-  
continental highway built and the  
people will be eager for more."

### YOUNG MOTHERS FOUND DEAD IN STABLE

N. B. BULL, a prominent local business man and a friend of the late Dr. William Ingerson. The latter protested his innocence, but a firmly in his pocket seemed to clinch the suspicion against him and he was charged with attempted burglary at the Bush street station.

### ACCUSED OF ROBBING POST- OFFICE.

STOCKTON, April 18.—Postal Inspector J. Roberts has arrested George Baumgarten, and William Forrester, laborers, and charged them with the robbery of the Thalheim postoffice Sunday. All the mail in the Thalheim postoffice was stolen, and much of it was found on the persons of the defendants. Roberts has also arrested Carl C. Mohley, a clerk in the postoffice at Ceres, and charged him with rifling the mail.

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## 25,000 SUFFER, FOLLOWING TWO LEVEE BREAKS

## RICH LAND IS COVERED BY FLOOD

Area Inundated Declared to Be as Large as New England States.

Hundreds of Refugees Are Marooned Without Food and Clothing.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 18.—The break in the main line levee on the Mississippi river four miles below Rosedale, Miss., and another on the Arkansas river added 25,000 persons to the flood sufferers in Arkansas, Louisiana and Mississippi. The flood inundated rich cotton land almost as large as the New England states.

The levee at Angola, La., on the east bank of the Mississippi river broke today. Two thousand acres of planted cane will be wiped out.

The plight of thousands of homeless persons in the flood districts is pitiful. Hundreds are marooned in isolated places. Many have been without food for days and scores are suffering from want of clothing.

Officials of the national government have combined forces with the state officials to carry relief.

## APPEALS FOR AID.

SACRAMENTO, April 18.—President Taft, in a special telegram to Governor Johnson today, asks the state executive as honorary head of the Red Cross Society of California, to appeal to the people of this state to come to the aid of the flood sufferers in the Mississippi valley. The message says:

"Billions of dollars of distress resulting from the flood in the lower Mississippi valley have assumed such intensity and magnitude that it has become my duty as president of the American Red Cross to make known the facts in order that the people of the United States may express their sympathy in substantial form."

## TROOPS SENT TO PROTECT TRANS

## DR. HAMLIN HEAD OF MEDICAL SOCIETY STATE ORGANIZATION HONORS PHYSICIAN



DR. O. D. HAMLIN, who has been unanimously elected president of the State Medical Society of California.

## Chief of Staff of the Receiving Hospital and of Railroad Elected President

MONTEREY, April 18.—Dr. O. D. Hamlin of Oakland was last night unanimously elected president of the State Medical Society of California. Hamlin is prominent physician in Alameda county. He is surgeon-in-chief of the Receiving hospital staff, surgeon-in-chief of the Southern Pacific Company for Alameda county and prominent in medical circles in California.

At the meeting of the State Medical Society last night there was no opposition to Dr. Hamlin and he was paid a high compliment when he was unanimously chosen for the office.

## BURGLARS LOOT FITCHBURG HOME

Door Left Unlocked and the Invaders Take Advantage of Opportunity.

FITCHBURG, April 18.—Burglars entered the home of Joseph Fernandes, a dayman living on Hillside avenue, between Franklin and Moses avenues, last night. They met their getaway with \$50 in cash. Entrance was gained through a rear door which was left unlocked by Fernandes, who was expecting his nephew, Bernard Fernandes, to return later in the evening from Oakland.

When the two men got up this morning they missed their clothing and found their trousers with the pockets turned inside out in an adjoining room.

## MASKED THUG GETS \$150 FROM VICTIM

Herbert Jackson Robbed by an Armed Man at Early Morning Hour.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—A masked bandit held up Herbert Jackson of 420 Kearny street in Herbert Jackson's home on Kearny street, near Jackson, when the thug came up behind him and thrust a pistol in his face. The robber then went through Jackson's pockets and took \$150. Jackson hurried to the office and sent a telegram to his employer and a half away, but the outlaw had left the neighborhood when the officers made their search.

## TOWN CAPTURED.

EL PASO, April 18.—A dispatch received here today states that the Liberals yesterday captured Sierra Mijada, where there are large American interests. The report says twenty-seven Federals were killed. Their own loss is not given.

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FOLLOWERS OF TAFT TO ATTEND RALLY TONIGHT  
Campaign in Oakland to Be Opened With Reusing Meeting at Theater

The campaign in the bay section of the renomination of President Taft will open in Oakland this evening at the Macdonough theater, paving the way for a second meeting at Dreamland, rink, Sun Francisco.

Tonight's meeting will be one of the most important, in many respects, held in Oakland in years. Colonel Hamlin, chairman of the Taft Reporters in California, will be in the chair and the list of vice-presidents includes prominent men from all walks of life. The principal speakers will be former Governor James N. Gillett and Samuel M. Shortridge. They are expected to stand on the platform with the supporters of the president, who will have their appeal to voters of California.

The character of the campaign now being waged by Colonel Roosevelt will be good, according to the speakers, and some plain words will be used. The audience will be shown the records of the Colonel and the so-called "insurgents" on such questions as the tariff, trusts and national banks. The meaning of the word "progressive" will come in for definition and something interesting is promised regarding the "Johnson steam-roller." All in all, it promises to be an interesting evening, and there will be a dead curtain of enthusiasm. Excellent music has been secured and all Republicans are urged to attend. Women, especially have been asked to present, and scores of

the city's most prominent club and suffrage leaders will be on the platform.

The following prominent Oakland women have been appointed to act as co-chairs of the tonight's coffee meeting:

Miss T. Hall, Mrs. J. S. Valentine.

Mr. C. R. Ober, Jr.

Miss E. T. Parker, Mrs. Stanley Moore

Miss F. C. Black, Mrs. Edison Aldrich

Miss G. Cal. Ewing, Mrs. W. H. Bogart

Miss Charles F. Lee, Mrs. W. H. Chideler

Miss Robert G. Gray, Mrs. Ed. W. Engs

Miss Elizabeth R. Barlow, Mrs. W. D. Davis

Miss Charles S. Chesser, Mrs. F. J. Womack

Miss Rosalie Chabot, Mrs. Fred S. Stratton

Miss Wallace Eversen, Mrs. S. T. Teller

Miss Henry Wetherby, Mrs. Edwin Pond

Miss Ethel Cooper, Mrs. John Parks,

Miss Ethel Moore.

The above list is incomplete as fur-

ther acceptances will probably be received later this afternoon. The following additional vice-presidents have been an-

nounced for the men:

W. A. Butler, E. C. Jones, Fred Moore

J. T. Brooks, W. B. Wilson, H. C. Rich-

ardson, C. P. Duncan, W. D. MacDonald

J. T. Griffin, Sherman Bridges, J. A.

Hackett, E. Marshall, Rev. L. A. Brown

P. J. Clyde Randall.

## KNIGHTS TEMPLAR MEET IN SOUTH

Fifty Members From Oakland in Attendance Upon San Diego Conclave.

SAN DIEGO, April 18.—With the arrival of special trains from Los Angeles or other Southern California points this morning all the delegates and visitors to the grand conclave of the Knights Templar are in town.

The registration bureau shows that Los Angeles has furnished 400 Sir Knights, San Francisco 400, Oakland 50, and numerous other cities in the state represented swelled to 500 the total number in the parade of commanders this afternoon to 2500.

Commanded by Captain General James Trapscoff and his staff chief, General Robert Wankowski, the column was made up of three divisions.

The sessions of the grand commandery began in a local hotel assembly room at 10 o'clock this morning. Right Eminent, S. L. Caldwell, grand commander, presided.

These officers were elected by the grand council, Royal and Select Masters: Grand Illustrious master, Grand Illustrious Commandeur, deputy Grand Illustrious master, Thomas O. Heydenfeldt, Redwood City; principal conductor of the work, C. S. Anderson, Los Angeles; grand secretary, Thomas J. Davies, San Francisco; grand treasurer, George Pennington, San Francisco; re-elected; grand chaplain, J. B. Morris, Oakland; grand sentinel, grand captain, Thomas E. Hatchett, Santa Barbara; grand conductor of the council, R. H. De Witt, Yreka; grand steward, John Molnar, Sacramento; grand sentinel, George W. Perkins, San Francisco; Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons elected these officers:

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## ALAMEDA

'HARMONY REPORT'  
GETS RIOT IN  
ALAMEDARoosevelt Following Split by a  
Factional Fight for  
Control.RESIGNATIONS IN  
WAKE OF BIG RALLYThe Gag Rule at Mass Meeting  
Brings Threats and Near  
Fisticuffs.

ALAMEDA, April 18.—"Terrible Teddy" in his most strenuous moments never kicked up half so much of a rumpus as did his Alameda followers in Encinal Hall last night when they undertook to form, or rather reorganize, the Alameda Roosevelt Progressive Republican Club. The most most is a surety, a gag resolution, gathering the "withholders" of a hundred or more cards of application for membership, near fistcuffs and divers startling and unexpected side features were among the things the ring-side spectators saw in the gathering of socialist or watch proceedings. Prominent women Roosevelters shook the dust of the hall from their skirts and stamped homeward, their men folks of similar Roosevelt bent running after them, dust from the shoes and following the women into the open where they could at least draw a long breath without being closed in by the chair.

The ruction was the result of a call issued by the Roosevelt Progressive Club. The two factions in Alameda, who first came to the fighting line in Oakland two weeks ago, were both represented in the big crowd which completely filled Encinal Hall and overflowed out into the entrance porch. Mr. J. T. Geary, one of the supporters of the faction headed by Harbor Commissioner George M. Hill, was chairman. Lochiel M. King, was secretary, despite the recommendation of his committee to the effect that King make way in the interest of harmony for Ralph B. Elster.

## REPORT WAS MISNAMED.

The chief cause of the fracas was a report submitted to the meeting for adoption to insure harmony. This report was prepared at a mass meeting of the Roosevelt Progressive Club at the home of Mrs. G. H. Speedy. At this meeting there were eighteen of the twenty-five Alameda members of the county central committee. Charles E. Snook, chairman of the county committee, was present and presided.

The harmony report was submitted to the eighteen committee. The chief advocated change was that King get out of the secretaryship. When a vote was taken the result was 9-3 in favor of changing the secretaryship, a deciding vote in favor of the report, making the final result 10-8.

Armed with their report the committee was present at the big meeting, and reported that there were between 100 and 200 card signers who already considered themselves members of the club as the cards signed read as follows: "I hereby enroll myself as a member of the Roosevelt Progressive Republican Club." Some of these card signers attempted to speak but were muzzled by the chair with the announcement that none of the card signers would be regarded as club members unless their applications had been signed by the twenty-five members of the club.

## APPLIES GAG RULE.

Immediately a great protest went up, but Geary stuck to his ruling and a few minutes later, when a vote was taken on the report, substituting Elster for King as secretary to be adopted, the chair ruled that only those present of the original twenty-one organizers could vote on the motion. Then a pandemonium broke loose in the room, and the members of the twenty-one organizations present voted on the report motion. There were eleven votes against the report and five in favor. Then came the avalanche of resignations. Mrs. G. H. Speedy and A. W. Patterson, vice-presidents of the club, led off with the resignation and were followed by Mrs. J. G. Kearney, head of the Roosevelt section of the Women's Polical League of Alameda, and by Green Majors, Mrs. Majors and many others.

Miss Peacock, state committeewoman, got the floor for a moment and moved that all these in favor of forming an Alameda Roosevelt League stand up. Alameda Roosevelt League did stand up, and the report of the executive committee was voted down.

Following this action the meeting broke up, 350 or more persons leaving the hall, while the remainder, including the two organizations which had voted in favor of the motion, went overboard when the motion was voted down.

The harmony report, which was the motion for the riot, included with the motion of disbanding a motion to add the other more members to the club executive committee. These three new members were to be Green Majors, Mrs. A. W. Patterson and Mrs. W. W. Perkins. They with Elster, the proposed secretary, were chucked overboard when the motion was voted down.

Standing with Hill, Geary and King were Mrs. Hill, J. B. Gilbert, Mrs. Gilbert were three or four others in the meeting program.

Those who were standing and those whose cards were not recognized will form a new Alameda Roosevelt club it is already announced.

NEWS GLEANED FROM  
UNIVERSITY CAMPUS

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, April 18.—Word has been received of the arrival at Stockholm of Ernst Brandstötter, who had charge of the swimming pool in Sweden's capital last year. He will remain in the Olympic games.

Class meetings were held this afternoon by all four classes. Reports of officers and committees for the term were received, and these were the last gatherings of the classes for some time.

Prof. Jessie Peirce was the lecturer this afternoon in the course on vocational opportunities for women. Her subject for the afternoon was "Special Forms of Social Work."

J. C. Simpson was last evening appointed editor of the Daily Californian for the fall semester by the executive committee of the A. S. U. C. M. C. Carter, present editor, advised the

The Women's Mandolin and Guitar Club has elected the following officers for next term: President, Miss Ruth Anna; Vice-president, Mrs. Gertrude Conford; secretary, Miss Jane Dickinson; treasurer, Miss Mary Boyne; librarian, Miss Elizabeth Hanson.

The students affairs committee has asked a present for the fall term, for students who are to be merchants, advertising property and for another who failed to return a book borrowed from the library. The name of none of the three was given out.

The first lecture in the Earl series will be given this evening by Prof. Bliss Perry of Harvard College, at Harmon Auditorium. His subject will be "American Humor and Satire."

Had youth, bitter taste, dizziness and a general "no account" feeling is a sure sign of a torpid liver. JEROME is the medicine that purifies the blood, liver and kidneys, vitalizes the blood, regulates the nerves and restores a fine feeling of energy and cheerfulness. Price 8¢. Sold by Winchard's drug store, 1001 Washington street.

POPULAR ALAMEDA COUPLE  
SETTLE IN NEW RESIDENCE

MRS. EMMA MURCELL PEARSON, Alameda bride, and her daughter Lillian, who served as flower girl at the wedding.

ALAMEDA, April 18.—Mr. and Mrs. Leo Pearson, who were married Sunday, are now getting in their new home at 2550 Clement avenue. The wedding took place in the new home, the marriage service being performed by the Rev. Willis Manning Martin. Alex McGregor was best man while the matron of honor was Mrs. Nettie Pascoe. The bride's

dissolute daughter, Lillian, served as flower girl.

Mrs. Pearson before her marriage Sunday was Mrs. Emma Murcell. The bride wore a gray messaline silk, with over robe and sleeves of lace. She carried a bouquet of bride's roses and wore lilies of the valley. Her mother, the matron of honor was in blue silk trimmed with lace and carried carnations.

Pearson is a well known Alamedan and is engaged in business in this city.

ETUDE CLUB GIVES  
NOTABLE PROGRAMDifficult Numbers Played Be-  
fore Twentieth Cen-  
tury Club.

BERKELEY, April 18.—Etude Club members gave a delightful program Tuesday evening before the Twentieth Century Club, under the direction of Mrs. Ethel Safford, president of the club. The gathering was one of the largest in the past year. Mrs. Josephine Cawley acted as accompanist for the occasion, the program being as follows:

(a) "Toccata" (DeBussy); (b) "Le-  
bästräume" (List); (c) "Päide" (Mos-  
kowski); Mrs. Jane Rupke; (d) "Proces-  
sion" (Clough-Leigh); (e) "The  
Witches' Prayer" (Schoenberg); (f) "The  
Arith. I. Hill"; suite for two violins and  
Mrs. Nettie Pascoe, the bride'sAssociate Editors Roswell Ham, Ken-  
neth Perkins, Harold Prusler, L. L. Levy,  
Assistant Editors Doris Hutchins,  
Ermia Taggert, Mildred Clemens, Helen  
Cornellus, Dorothy Kent, F. S. Faust, A.  
V. Ainet, T. G. Luke.MAGAZINE STAFFS  
CHOSEN BY CLUBL. A. Myers to Edit Occident;  
R. W. Jeans to the  
Pelican.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, April 18.—R. W. Jeans and H. A. Fletcher have been appointed by the English Club as managers of the Pelican, the university paper, and A. Myers and A. R. Hodson, heads of the Occident staff. The complete Occident staff is announced as follows:

L. A. Myers, Editor; V. F. Collins, Literary Editor; Ramon Fohr, Manager; Secretary Board; Evelyn Steel, Margaret Hodson, Muriel Glass, Dr. George A. Smithson, Mr. C. H. Macmillan, Rose Gardner.

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V. Ainet, T. G. Luke.HELD FOR VIOLATION  
OF STATE PRISON LAW

SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—William Powers, who was arrested last night by detectives for violating the state prison law, appeared in Superior Court this morning. His case was continued until Saturday and his bonds have been fixed at \$2,000. A large quantity of morphine and cocaine were taken from his room at 229 Sixth street.

## BERKELEY SOCIETY

BERKELEY, April 18.—Miss Katheryn Sydney Marsh has cards out for a dance to be given Saturday April 21. The Novelty dance, which will be given in San Francisco, was in Berkeley for a number of years, and Miss Marsh has included Berkeley in her guest list.

Miss Katherine Bonnison, the fiancee of Clinton Fenton, will entertain a large number of friends Saturday afternoon at Hillside clubhouse. Miss Bonnison has arranged for cards as a diversion.

The old Scribner home on Channing way, one of the prettiest homes of the city, was turned into a bower of spring blossoms Tuesday for Alhambra Club's entertainment the bay region friends of the members of the sorority. The girls received afternoon tea and the men were entertained at the banquet board. The meeting was held in the Masonic Temple. It was the first of a series of night gatherings to be held here by the Chamber of Commerce, with prominent men in various walks of life will be invited to address the citizens.

CHANGE SERVICE TIME  
ONE SUNDAY IN MONTH

ALAMEDA, April 17.—Rev. Willis Martin, pastor of the First Methodist church in this city, announces that an experimental change will be made in the hour of service. Services will be held on Sunday, and effective for the first time next Sunday, when the morning services will commence at 10:15 o'clock instead of 11 o'clock as usual. The services will last

Miss Alice Ritchie's Sunday school class will furnish the special music at the services Sunday. It is the plan to have the Sunday school classes in the church during services.

HURT IN FALL FROM CAR.  
SAN FRANCISCO, April 18.—W. H. Tuttle, 1155 Hayes street, fell from a Market street car, as he was in the front of a double-decker car. He was a model housekeeping inspector for the State Fire Marshal's office, and his body is in poor condition.

Miss Elizabeth Simpson will be heard in a lecture recital under the auspices of the Berkeley Piano club in Unity hall this evening at 8 o'clock.

WOULD CUT DOWN  
ENGLISH GRAMMARAlameda School Superintend-  
ent Proposes Radical  
Change.

ALAMEDA, April 18.—In his biennial report, submitted to the Board of Education last night, Superintendent Will C. Wood proposed a radical reorganization of work in the seventh and eighth grades. He proposed that the work in English grammar be materially simplified and reduced. He recommended this on the ground that the work has never been satisfactorily taught under the present arrangement, which he said, has been given to the study of a modern language or practical every-day English, as the student may elect.

Wood maintained that this arrangement will enable the pupil to get a greater number of practical opportunities in the study of a modern language.

The pupil who intends taking up a commercial career will have an opportunity to make a careful study of business and practical English. The plan also contemplates the introduction of arithmetic, algebra and science in the eighth grade, the pupil being required to choose one of these subjects.

## TO MAKE SAVING.

If the plan is adopted the pupil who intends taking up an academic course in the high school will be able to save at least a half-year, and the pupil who intends going into business life will be able to obtain far better mastery of commercial arithmetic and English than he can under the present system.

The plan is quite similar to that adopted recently in Los Angeles and Berkeley. However, it does not provide for the organization of introductory high schools. Superintendent Wood recommended that the plan be introduced gradually, beginning with the eighth grade.

## FAVORS KINDERGARTEN.

Superintendent Wood recommended that a kindergarten be established in Lincoln school if successful, that it be extended to the other schools.

The Board of Underwriters having declared that no increase in insurance would be made if a moving picture machine were installed in a nonprofit room, the Lincoln school was ordered to place one in the Lincoln school.

THE QUESTION OF ESTABLISHING A  
DOMESTIC SCIENCE COURSE.

The question of establishing a domestic science course in the Alameda High school was referred to the committee on classification as over 500 girls expressed a desire for this course and Superintendent Wood recommended that such a class be established.

MADE DISCOVERY  
122 YEARS AGOBenjamin Franklin's Experi-  
ment With Kite Is Re-  
called by Professor.

BERKELEY, April 18.—In a brief address at chapel exercises at the Pacific Theological Seminary this morning, Professor W. E. Bade invited attention to the fact that yesterday was the 122d anniversary of the discovery by Benjamin Franklin of the use of the lightning rod for diverting the course of the electricity present in the atmosphere during a thunder storm. Dr. Bade said:

The unanimous consent to this discovery initiated all the splendid series by subsequent discoveries which culminated in the use of radiotelegraphy, that is, one means by which the lives of 800, we hope, were saved in the shipwreck of the S.S. Minnehaha. The sailors were among those laborers of other men which reached out and saved the lives of many of the passengers and crew of the Titanic.

Had it not been for wireless telegraphy it is doubtful whether any one would ever have heard the facts regarding the loss of that great ship.

TOOK MONEY FROM  
WIFE'S PURSE; DIVORCEDCAR BANDITS ARE  
HELD FOR TRIALSan Leandro Youths Repeat  
Confessions in Court  
Before Crowd.

SAN LEANDRO, April 18.—William Dutra, alias Bill O'Brien, charged with having held up a San Lorenzo street car some time ago, appeared before Justice of the Peace Toffelmair this morning and were held over to the Superior Court on \$500 cash bail or \$10,000 bonds. The prisoner was taken to the Alhambra Club, where his death occurred yesterday at the St. Helena Sanitarium.

Dutra died at the age of 32, being charged with the killing of his wife, Mrs. Mary Gregory, and others.

Dutra was the son of Reuben Rickard, who came to Berkeley in 1876 and was prominently connected with the earlier history of the city, serving several terms as a town trustee. Thomas Rickard, the son, also served on the Board of Trustees, acting as its chairman and as mayor of the city.

## PICK OFFICERS.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, April 18.—Officers have been elected by the Senate and Congress debating societies of the university for the ensuing term.

The Senate officers are as follows: President, E. F. Sullivan; vice-president, W. W. Lovett; secretary, L. S. Moore; treasurer, E. K. Sturgis. The Congress

has chosen the following: President, F. D. Stevens; clerk, Milton Marks; treasurer, J. J. Beck.

TO HOLD TRACK MEET  
RAILY AT U. C. TONIGHT

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, April 18.—The last rally of the college year will be held tonight at Harmon Gymnasium in celebration of the field meet.

The rally will be held Saturday afternoon on Sather Oval.

Former track captains are to be the chief speakers as follows: Ollie F. Powell, H. S. Johnson, W. K. Powell, H. R. Johnson.

In addition, brief addresses will also be given by H. G. Gabbert, G. A. Kretzinger, S. J. Hume and Prof. T. H. Reed. Colman Schwartz will present a monologue.

CHARITY ORGANIZATION  
TO GIVE ANNUAL BANQUET

BERKELEY, April 18.—The Charity Organization Society has arranged for its annual banquet to be held the evening of April 23 at Town and Gown Hall. Charles McAllister, managing editor of the "Berkeley Review" for the Aged and Infirm, will speak on the methods used in its management and their practical results. Mrs. Johanna von Warner, expert housekeeping inspector for the State Fire Marshal's office, will speak on model housekeeping conditions and how Berkeley can obtain them. It is expected that several hundred guests will be present.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL  
HAPPENINGS OF DAY  
IN THE ISLAND CITY'MOB ORATOR' IS SCORED  
IN SPEECH BY BUNKER  
Superintendent Declares Detractors Seek  
to Divide Citizenry

tages which Berkeley affords. For the most part we are all just plain, ordinary, common-sense American citizens, and our countrymen, both here and abroad, are the same. The only capital which our parents bequeathed to most of us was a stock of good health and energy, and most of us, too, have never had the capital. Most of us, however, are not thankful for the public school system which it was organized, for what ever education we have."

## EDUCATIONAL AIDS.

I know that in my own case if I had not been for a free state normal school, and for the state teachers' college, I would have been unable to have had my education beyond that of mere literacy. These institutions of the public school and of the university have been created by the state and people, and are for the poor boy and the poor girl to prepare themselves to fill places of increasing usefulness in the world among their fellows. The men and women who are connected with these educational workers along various lines of public health protection, the series being under the direction of Dr. Wilbur A. Sawyer.

The business men and the law students will be given the opportunity to receive courses which will be given at the state normal school, and the educational opportunities therein offered. Therefore for the poor boy and the poor girl to whom the city ought to be the mecca of the entire city, the one against the other, is absurd and injurious to the character of that procedure which characterizes the demagogues.

## EXPECTS SQUARE DEAL.

I have an abiding confidence that on April 20th next the citizens of Berkeley will be abidingly interested in the educational opportunities which are offered to them. The educational opportunities which are offered to them are the most important of all the opportunities which are offered to them. The educational opportunities which are offered to them are the most important of all the opportunities which are offered to them.

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# TRIBUNE'S PAGE OF SPORTS

## Edited by BERT LOWRY

### Oaks Annex Thirteenth Straight Game and Are Close to Coast League Record

#### HARRY ABLES SHOWS 'EM THAT HE IS A PITCHER

##### Big Fellow Trims the Angels and Team Mates Help Good Cause Along; That's Wh, It's Thirteen Now

By BERT LOWRY.

Oakland 4, Los Angeles 0.  
Once again we've got the chance to cheer for did not those gallant fighting Oaks make it thirteen in a row over at Recreation Park yesterday afternoon? And with little effort, too.

Right off the reel, without noise or gusto, Oakland chased over a tally that as good as won the game and then just to show the Dillettates and Henry Beery that it would be no joke that they cleared over three more before the day was done. In the meantime the Angels were even looking dangerous, but that's when the score read Oakland 4, Los Angeles 0, when the fans and funnelets started for the cars.

Giving the pain of the game to the right, and it was mostly Ables yesterday, though his team had to pay another bring-up game and end with the dole just when the swats counted the most. The big follow with the long arms and the twisting twisters had those angels like the elephant at the show. Just eating right out of his hands.

Even though they gattered the ball, but those bums were ungrateful and never made an Oakland fan feel satisfied, and mechanics if Harry had really uncorked the best he had, the men from the south wouldn't have had those five blingers. But then Harry has to have his fun, you know, so let it go at that.

HALLA WAS EASY AT TIMES.

Jack Halla did the firing for Henney and at three in did well, but the batsmen didn't do that, but he wasn't trying all the time, but those Oaks simply wouldn't be denied. Bud's crew only gleamed seven hits, but those seven were just as good as a million.

Right off the bat, the beginning of the second half of the first, having the trouble began. After Cook and Leard had gone out because Beering is some shortstop, that Mr. Izzy Hoffman poled one at Dillett that made the old boy sidestep. Then Jack feared the Coy had passed him along to first. But B. D. Zantz gets out or more to day and his swat was good enough to send Zantz to the rubber.

Jack waded through the second in nice style, but in the third he got it, and got it where Mexico will if they don't behave down there. Hoffman, just to show that Halla was easy at times, turned out to right, and it was a safety. Coy wasn't walked this time, but he should have been for he jacked a pretty double past Howard and Izzy went over to third. Berger handed and Izzy went over to third. Berger and grace, and Izzy will try for home.

Now comes Gus Helling, and that fan that wrote that letter about Gus being a dead one must have had it. If he was there when he saw how Gussie swings on that pellet. He hit it so hard that the ball fell short of the plate. But he just about got it. A hit like that generally goes for two bags and with men on the bases, what happens? Why they score this is all so you see Gus Helling chased two runs over the par, making it three for the Oaks.

With the Oaks gathered again even if they didn't need it. Here's the figures. Look 'em over:

The score

LOS ANGELES

AB. R. BH. PO. A. E.

Howard, 2b. .... 4 0 1 0 2 1

Berger, ss. .... 4 0 2 1 1 0

Dillett, cf. .... 4 0 1 4 0 0

Heilmuller, lf. .... 3 0 0 4 0 0

Dillon, 1b. .... 3 0 0 11 0 0

Metzger, 2b. .... 4 0 0 2 0 0

Cook, c. .... 4 0 0 0 0 0

Zantz, p. .... 3 0 0 1 1 0 0

Halla, p. .... 3 0 0 1 1 0 0

Totals .... 32 0 5 24 12 1

OAKLAND

AB. R. BH. PO. A. E.

Cook, ss. .... 4 0 1 0 2 1

Leard, 2b. .... 3 0 0 1 4 0 0

Coy, cf. .... 4 0 1 1 0 1 0

Zachter, c. .... 4 0 0 0 0 0

Helling, 1b. .... 4 0 0 0 2 1

Sharp, 3b. .... 4 0 0 1 11 0 0

Metzger, c. .... 4 0 0 1 10 0 0

Ables, p. .... 3 0 0 0 2 0 0

Totals .... 32 0 5 27 11 1

RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Los Angeles 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Base hits.... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 5

Double hits.... 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 7

Stolen bases—Leard, Cook. Two-base hits—Coy, Helling, Daley. Sacrifice hits—Bolles. First base on called balls—Off Halla, 4; on Ables, 1. Walk out—By Halla, 1; by Ables, 10. Hit by pitcher—Helling. Time of game—10. Umpires—McGrovey and Mertes.

Vernon 4, Sacramento 3.

Score:

VERNON

AB. R. BH. PO. A. E.

Carlisle, lf. .... 2 1 0 3 0 0

Kane, cf. .... 1 1 0 0 0 0

Bynes, c. .... 2 0 0 0 0 0

Patterson, 1b. .... 3 0 1 10 0 0

Totals .... 12 0 5 12 13 1

TWO BIG LEAGUE MEN

WITH JOE RIVERS

AT VERNON

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 17. — Ad Wolgast, lightweight champion and Joe Rivers, the Los Angeles lightweight, are to meet in a bout for the lightweight championship of the world at the Vernon arena on July 4. The referee will be chosen not later than June 1.

According to the articles, the weight will be 123 pounds ringside and the stipulated weighing in time has been set at 2:30 o'clock.

Neither shall accept boxing contests other than theatrical dates, but Wolgast will be permitted to engage in non-decision bouts.

ZANDER AND WATERS TO FIGHT.

CHICAGO, April 18. — Ernest Zander, of Chicago, and Billy Waters of Waukegan were engaged last night to fight ten rounds at Madison Square Garden on the 10th of May. The weight will be 142 pounds at 8 o'clock on the day of the fight.

You can't sit right you get no rest, nor does anyone sleep the night. DR. HALL'S REINTEGRATOR will soon improve from the first dose. We have so much confidence in our treatment that we can't guarantee to cure any disease.

DR. HALL'S REINTEGRATOR will reward for any case we cannot cure. This secret remedy enlarges, strengthens, cures, Embolism, Impotency, Varicose Veins, Hemorrhoids, Ulcers, Kidneys, Liver, Manhood, Drains in the Uterus and all other terrible wasting effects of age. It is a safe, simple, painless, and effective. DR. HALL'S REINTEGRATOR will guarantee to cure any disease.

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#### AROUND THE BASES

Harry Ables fanned the first three men that faced him and then for good measure he fanned six more before the day was over. Nice hurling that.

Heiliger fanned three times in a row and then combed one to right that looked like a single. Bertom Cov was on the job though and pegged the Angels' shortstop out at first.

Now they are after Helling and want somebody else to play third base and after all Gus has done for the club. Guess the letter writers don't know what a hingle is if they overlooked that swine of a third sacker yesterday.

It aches like a bullet, almost hit the bull on the fly and sent two rumpers to the plate. Couldn't ask for much more, could you gentle knocker.

Seven hits were the total number clumped by the Oaks and six of them were doubles and both those doubles scored in the run getting. That's when they count.

6-2



#### BERKELEY HIGH IS WINNER OF SERIES

Oakland and Alameda to Cross Bats at Lincoln Park Saturday.

By winning the second game of the annual baseball series yesterday afternoon the Berkeley High School baseball team won the series from the Oakland High School in two straight victories.

The score was close, Berkeley winning 12-11.

RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Vernon .... 31 3 7 24 18 0

AB. R. BH. PO. A. E.

Madden, rf. .... 4 0 8 1 0 0

Shinn, ss. .... 3 0 0 0 0 2 0

Reardon, 2b. .... 4 0 0 0 3 7 0

Sullivan, cf. .... 3 0 0 0 0 0 0

Miller, 1b. .... 4 1 2 18 1 0 0

Lewis, lf. .... 4 1 1 0 0 0 0

Ireland, 3b. .... 3 1 0 0 0 4 0

Hart, c. .... 3 0 0 0 1 0 0

Bryant, p. .... 2 0 1 0 0 0 0

Baum, d. .... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Totals .... 30 4 7 27 12 0

AB. R. BH. PO. A. E.

Burke, 2b. .... 4 0 1 0 0 0 0

Stinson, rf. .... 3 0 1 0 0 0 0

Burnell, 3b. .... 1 0 0 2 2 4 0

Arnett, c. .... 3 0 0 0 0 0 0

Conrad, 1b. .... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Brackenridge, p. .... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0

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